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CONVENTION NEWS.

Republican Office Headquarters for the Latest Intelligence.

Since yesterday morning early interest in Decatur as to the work of the national Republican convention at St. Louis has been intense, and floods of inquiries as to the latest news have been made personally and by telephone at the Republican office, headquarters for news by telegraph. Nearly all day yesterday there was a crowd in front of the Republican office reading the many bulletins posted on the window. They told the story of the day's work in brief, and the people were kept informed as to what was being done in the convention hall. After the Republicans went to press last evening, bulletins came stating that after the report of the committee on credentials had been adopted the convention adjourned to 10 a. m. today.

Crowds Again Today.
The Republican bulletins began to arrive early this forenoon. Some came soon after 9 o'clock. They were promptly posted on the window for the information of the general public. Merchants and clerks came around from their places of business to get the news and they came frequently while farmers and citizens stopped to read the bulletins.

This evening the bulletins will be posted as rapidly as they arrive.

BUSINESS IN COURT.

More Foreclosure Cases Receive Attention
—Adjournment.

Only a brief session of the circuit court this forenoon, when Judge Vall ordered an adjournment until 9 a. m., Friday.

Chancery Docket.

Margaret A. Wentz vs Emma E. Hawkins, et al, foreclosure; cause dismissed.

W. G. Ammann et al vs Frank P. Roddy et al, foreclosure; suit dismissed as to defendants pro confesso, as to defendants not answering and referred to master.

People's Savings and Loan association vs. Mary M. Doty et al, foreclosure; same order.

W. J. Pigram vs. Frank W. Caldwell et al, foreclosure; same order.

John R. King vs Frank P. Roddy et al, foreclosure; suit dismissed as to D. C. Cory and decree pro confesso, as to defendants not answering

Same vs. F. M. Wood et al, foreclosure; suit dismissed as to Wood.

Sales of Real Estate.

Martha Greenfield et al to J. R. Taylor, 10 acres in the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of 1, 15, 3 east, \$200.

Claybourne Jones to J. R. Taylor, a tract in the northwest quarter of 1, 15, 3 east, 10 acres, \$1.

I. N. Cool to J. F. Kiester, lot 4 in block 1 in Montgomery & Shull's First addition of Decatur, \$200.

Thomas J. Fleming to William H. Carmean lot 3 in Stevens' addition on North Union street; \$1800.

Corn Williams to Sophie Troutman lot 14 in block 3 in Warren & Co.'s Ninth addition, \$5,000.

Bachman's Baby.

Carriages have arrived, sixty-five patterns to select from; newest style of upholstering, prices range from \$5 to \$35. Bachman Bros. & Martin Co.—18d-1mo

Assessment Notice.

Monday, June 22nd, 1896, is public day for hearing your complaints if you have any. Don't forget the date. S. T. Keefer, assessor.—15-66

Excursion to Chicago.

The Wabash will run another cheap excursion to Chicago next Saturday evening. The fare for the round trip being \$2.

Marriage Licenses.

Arthur T. Gay, Decatur, 20.
Ida Mae White, Decatur, 20.
Herbert Bonset, Decatur, 22.
Elizabeth F. Bell, Decatur, 18.

Power—Latest U. S. Govt Report

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BOLTERS' ADDRESS.

Explaining Their Course to the Voters of the Country.

THEY ADVERTISE FOR FOLLOWERS.

The Calamity Howl Raised, Gold Standard Men Denounced and a General Play to Make Teller a Free Silver President.

St. Louis, June 19.—The silver men who yesterday walked out of the Republican convention with others of the same faith, issued a statement addressed to the people of the United States, and national conventions to be held. They say in part: "There is no sanctity in the mere party name and the mark of doom is set on individual strength in the nation when the absolute rule of political organizations removes man from the truth for the sake of expediency and establishes crass submission to partisan rule for the sake of power. There has been growing in this country, swelling with each recurring National election, a great mass of independent thinkers and voters, who, failing within itself to control, has gravitated between two great parties. Since 1872 (excepting possibly 1876), the pendulum has swung side to side each four years. In 1872 the Republican party elected the president. In 1876 the Democracy claimed the election. In 1880 the Republican party elected. In 1892 the Democrats elected. In 1896, until within a few weeks it has been conceded the Republicans would elect." The signers say this because the "party promises made were broken to the people by the party performance. They declare that during all this period we lacked a great constructive administration." "It becomes a source of reproach to any man that he should dare renounce allegiance to an organization. Men have been expected to submit their views to the dictation of convention although it is common knowledge that conventions have been swayed to views and declarations not the most approved by the mass of the people nor for their welfare."

The silver men further declare the time has come for the performance of a duty to the country. Parties may outlive their usefulness but the truth never becomes obsolete. Every generation of free men has a right to affirm truths of past knowledge and present requirements, and if the enforcement of these truths shall make a necessary departure from party organization, people have this right and will exercise it until old parties shall return to truth or new parties be created to enact it into law.

We hold in the great work of social revolution in this country, monetary reform stands as the first requisite. No policy however promising of good results, can take its place. A continuation during the next four years upon the present financial system will bring down upon the American people a cloud of impending evil to avoid which should be the first thought of every statesman, and the first prayer of every patriot. Our very institutions are at stake. With a rapidly increasing population, with widely swelling demands, the basis of our money relatively contracting, and people passing into a state of physical apparent.

The nation itself as compared to other nations losing that sturdy courage which could make it defiant in the face of injustice and international wrong. From the farmer and tradesman to the government there is an apparent shrinking from giving offense lest the vengeance of some offended financial power descend. Business submits to some portion of their judgment and will and the nation submits some portion of its international right, lest some mighty foreign creditor make destructive demands. Where will all this end if the people decline to assert themselves? The country cannot much longer exist free and independent against all the rest of the world, nor can its people much longer be free in the noblest sense of the term, in the United States, a debtor nation shall follow the policy dictated by the creditor nations. We produce all the necessities of life. Other nations consume our product. In the race for existence it is a constant struggle between the producers and the consumer. Our present system of money deliberately submits to the desire and profit of the creditor nation, leaving the masses and individuals a prey to the money gathering and the deadly cheapening policy of the old world. As debt to creditors abroad increases on the masses of the nation, the price of human production on the farm and in the workshop decrease with appalling rapidity, exacting more and more toll from our citizens to meet a

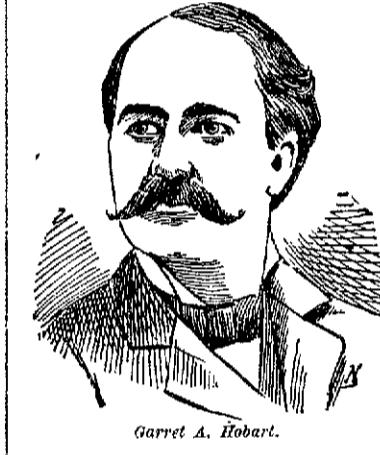
given demand, and holding over their heads the threat of confiscation to meet their obligations, leaving them bare and defenseless.

This only remedy is to stop falling prices, the deadliest curse of national life. Prices never will cease falling under a single gold standard. Restoration of bimetallism by this country will double the basis of our money system. In time it will double the stock of primary money of the world, will stop falling prices and steadily elevate them until they regain their moral relation to volume of debts and credits in the world.

We have endeavored in a plain way to set this matter before the eyes of our fellow citizens. We invoke a union of all men and all parties who believe the time has come for the triumph of justice." The signers then pronounced an eulogy upon Senator Teller and suggest him to all national conventions yet to be held as a candidate for the presidency.

Following are signatures to the address: Fred D. Dubois, R. F. Pettigrew, Frank J. Cannon, Charles H. Hartman, Ben E. Rich, Clarence E. Allen, A. S. Robertson, A. C. Cleveland, Willis Sweet, Amasa B. Campbell, Archie M. Stevenson, Enoch Strother, James M. Downing, Charles H. Bricktonstein, Thomas Kearns, C. J. Hart, Littleton Brice, Jacob J. Eliot, O. J. Salisbury, J. B. Overton, Frank C. Goudy, John F. Vivian, J. W. Rochefellow, Robert W. Boynoge, John M. Williams, L. M. Earl.

THE VOTE FOR VICE-PRES.



Garret A. Hobart.

STATES.	Hobart	Hukleby	Evans
Alabama	10	1	11
Arkansas	10	1	5
California	14	1	5
Connecticut	12		
Delaware	6		3
Florida	5	2	21
Georgia	14		
Idaho	14		
Illinois	14	4	10
Indiana	14	10	5
Kansas	20		
Kentucky	8	17	2
Louisiana	8	2	3
Maine	14	1	1
Maryland	14	1	1
Massachusetts	14	4	12
Michigan	6	7	1
Minnesota	13	5	2
Mississippi	10		
Missouri	10		
Montana	10		
Nebraska	3		
New Hampshire	8		
New Jersey	20		
New York	72	20	12
North Carolina	14	20	12
North Dakota	3		
Ohio	25	6	15
Oregon	8		
Pennsylvania	14		
Rhode Island	3		
South Carolina	8		
South Dakota	8		
Tennessee	11	12	1
Texas	5	1	
Vermont	8		
Virginia	8		
Washington	12		
West Virginia	3	20	
Wisconsin	8		
Totals	535 1/4	39	277 1/4

*Bled. 1; Thurston, 1.

+Grant, 2.

Scattering—Lippitt, 8; James A. Walker, 24;

Scattering—Thurston, 5; Depew, 3; Morton, 2.

Absent—Montana, 5; Nevada, 3; Texas, 7; Colorado, 8. Total absent, 23. Necessary to a choice 448.

A strong effort is being made to get the delegates who did not withdraw from the convention to sign the appeal to the people. In a conference with the representatives of the Populist and bimetallist league it was arranged for them to endorse Teller and have such a strong fusion against the gold standard advocates as to induce the Democratic national convention also to endorse him. The bolters have been

conferring with ex-Governor Francis and members of the Democratic committee. They have no assurances from Democratic members but have been invited to send representatives to the Democratic national convention to confer with the party. The silver men will keep up their work till all the national conventions have been held with the view of perfecting a general fusion. The silver conference claim they have not more than half the signatures promised. It is known there are differences of opinion among the silver delegates and some who denounce the gold standard do not favor the independent movement.

Boycott Declared Off.

Milwaukee, June 19.—The boycott resulting from the street car strike was declared off by the union today.

CHAIRMAN HANNA.

That is the Title by Which Marcus Aurelius Hanna Will be Known.

MADE CHAIRMAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE.

The Campaign to be in the Hands of McKinley's Loyal Friends—The Chairman Authorized to Name an Executive Committee.

St. Louis, June 19.—The Republican national committee met this morning. The vacancies caused by the silver bolt were filled as follows: New Mexico, Solomore Lunn; Colorado, J. F. Sanders; Nevada, C. H. Sproule; Idaho, George S.



Mark Hanna.

GARRETT A. HOBART.

Biographical Sketch of the Republican Nominee for Vice President.

Garret August Hobart was born June 3, 1841, in Monmouth county, New Jersey. His father's name was Addison W., and mother's Sophia. Hobart's father was a school teacher, but later became a farmer.

His early life was spent in Monmouth county within sight of the historic revolutionary battlefield of Monmouth, and his early education was obtained in the common schools of Newark and Paterson neighborhood. Later, at the age of 17, he entered Rutgers College, New Brunswick, and spent four years there, graduating with high honors when 21 years old. He went to Paterson and commenced the study of law in the office of Socrates Tuttle, destined to become his brother-in-law later in life. After spending three years in the law office he was admitted to the practice of law in the state of New Jersey and worked up a large and remunerative practice, being counsel of the city and county governments.

He was early identified with politics, but sought no political office until 1873, when he was elected a member of the state legislature. The next year, 1874, he was re-elected and was made speaker of the assembly by a unanimous vote of his colleagues. In 1875 he was elected state senator from the Paterson district, and three years after was given the place as president of the upper body of the assembly.

A number of times he was solicited to accept the nomination for congressman from his home district, but would not accept. In 1880 he was the Republican nominee for United States senator, but the assembly being overwhelmingly Democratic he failed to secure the coveted seat, the honor falling to John R. McPherson. Mr. Hobart was chairman of the Republican state executive committee for twelve years, and New Jersey member of the national committee since 1884.

He was married to Jennie Tuttle, the daughter of Hon. Socrates Tuttle, under whom he had studied law, July 20, 1866, and has one son living, Garret Augustus, now 12 years old. He was appointed one of the receivers of the New Jersey Midland railroad, and Hugh McCullough, of New York, was jointly received, looking after the New York interests of the road. Later, under the direction of the court, he became the sole receiver, and reorganized the road under the name of the Susquehanna Western. At the time of the receivership there were large amounts owing to the army of employees, and Mr. Hobart claims the credit of hiring legal counsel to see that their interests were protected against those of numerous preferred creditors. In acknowledgement of this fair treatment the men passed resolutions thanking him for the interest taken in their behalf.

Chairman Hanna expressed a desire to have the entire national committee meet him soon and call on McKinley in a body.

While many of the convention visitors remain in the city, almost all state delegations have left for home. A majority of the delegations started last night, the remainder are leaving today. Several meetings are being held today. The Nebraska delegation is in session, but for what purpose is not known. The notification committee met at noon. The silver leaders are also holding a conference. Mark Hanna will leave for home tonight.

The committee to notify Hobart will do so on the 29th inst.

The committee to notify Hobart will do so July 7.

Florida Democratic State Ticket.

Ocala, Fla., June 19.—The Democratic state convention adjourned late last night after the nomination of the following ticket: Governor W. D. Bloxham, secretary of state, J. L. Crawford; treasurer, C. B. Collins; attorney general, W. B. Lamar; superintendent of public instruction, Sheats; re-nominated; commissioner of agriculture, Womble; renominated.

Arkansas Democrats for Silver.

Little Rock, Ark., June 19.—The Democratic state convention was in session till

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For Elector H. N. SCHUYLER

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For Circuit Clerk David L. Foster
For Coroner Jesse E. Bendure
For Surveyor George V. Lorling

McKinley and Hobart.

With a sound tariff the country will again get on the highway of prosperity.

Now for the Democratic convention at Chicago July 8. It will be the show of the season.

Some months ago there was an inquiry: "Who is Mark Hanna?" That question has been answered to the satisfaction of everybody.

It is refreshing to know that McKinley was nominated without making deals and promises to any and had votes to spare.

Some eastern men are saying the east forced the western Republicans to declare for sound money. The east never forced the west to do anything. The west won victories for sound money when York was voting the Democratic ticket.

Kinley was born February 26, 1844, and Hobart was born June 3, 1844. Both were, therefore, born the year James K. Polk defeated Henry Clay for president and the people were sold out on the tariff by the successful Democracy.

The free coinage of silver has troubled the politics of the country since 1878. It forced two compromises, one in 1878 known as the Allison-Bland silver purchase act and the Sherman silver purchase act of 1890 which was repealed in 1893. It will be voted up or down this year.

The Hon. Billy Lorriuer could not do violence to his conscience and he refused to vote with his colleagues for McKinley. This means that he was really in earnest when he published those interviews directing the people of Illinois what to do, as to the presidency. He played even. As he could not run the country he demanded that the country could not run him.

During the war when greenbacks were issued and put into circulation to save the country, California refused to accept them as money holding that the only money was gold and gold was the money of California. Now that an attempt is being made in time of peace to debase the money of the country by the free coinage of a cheap dollar California denounces gold and wants the cheap dollar.

The Victory
The nomination of McKinley by a majority of 426 votes over all his opponents is the greatest victory ever awarded any

candidate in a Republican convention.

The preliminary canvas was a long one and the effort to prevent his nomination was the most determined and the final effort of Platt, the most infamous ever resorted to to defeat a man who was known to be the choice of the people. Conditions had arisen that put McKinley in a position where the rank and file of the party demanded his nomination. Plans were laid by those who believed they had a divine right to name the man for president they desired to see the people vote for, to defeat the nomination of McKinley. They were fully confident they could compass that object. Mark A. Hanna, who believes in the people and in McKinley, had undertaken to crystallize the sentiment for McKinley throughout the country and secure an official expression of that sentiment in the shape of resolutions of instructions in conventions. It was said that he was only a simpleminded business man; that the politicians were against McKinley and that settled it. But the result shows that the so-called politicians are not as invincible as they made themselves believe and in the national convention the simple minded business man rode over the elect with a flaming chariot of popular victory, and in the language of one of our citizens 10,000 bosses were slaughtered.

When the delegates in the Seventh congressional district were instructed for McKinley it was said that those delegates would be dearly bought delegates for McKinley. The gentleman who said it believed that "the organization" in Illinois

would be powerful enough to prevent other districts from instructing for McKinley but district after district broke away and instructed for him. The state convention did likewise and at the national convention the entire vote of Illinois with two exceptions was cast for McKinley just as the Seventh district delegates had been instructed to vote. These delegates did not prove expensive to McKinley.

The victory means that the people have had their way and nominated their choice for president. It means that those gentlemen who formed the combination to defeat McKinley have been completely routed and their camps destroyed and that they will be laughed at if they ever again attempt to cross the path of the people's will. Their self-selected mission has ended never more to defy free expression and free choice. The grand victory has strengthened the Republican party beyond the power of computation. The people feel they have an interest in the election of McKinley because they nominated him and they realize that the nominee is the people's man, the great commoner of this age and the campaign will be the most enthusiastic ever known. The Republican party will be restored to power and the country will restore protection to American industries and American currency.

The Silver Bolt.

There was an attempt to make the bolt of the silver men in the national convention dramatic. That attempt was a failure and instead of threats and appeals as they retired the delegates sang the "Red, White and Blue." It was not because the party felt able to do without the bolters and was independent that this spirit was shown but because the party had reached a point where it was determined that those people should no longer be permitted to compromise the party. The bolt of the silver men will be reckoned from the date of the convention but this is not true. The silver men bolted the party when they joined the populists in the attempt to defeat the provisional tariff bill to replenish the federal treasury and redeem it from the result of stupid Democratic legislation. It was then that these men became revolutionists and attempted by a free silver rider to that bill to force the majority of the senators of their party to vote for free silver in violation of their own free consent, or see the government starve to death. It was then they bolted the party and by that act which was most reprehensible, put themselves in a position where, as honest men, they had no business in a convention of Republican delegates, whom they knew were opposed to the free coinage of silver under present conditions.

The Republican party will have an organization in the states from which the bolters were sent and the day is not far distant when the party in these states will be purified and populous and socialism and free silverism will be overthrown and the bolters of 1890 with them. Whether this occurs or not the party has freed itself from every taint of free silver foolishness and can make a straightforward fight for the principles it believes in.

Deafness Cannot be Cured by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, deafness will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for sample, price 25c. F. J. CHAPIN & CO., Eob. J. O. Sold by druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

F. W. Newby of Macon, has moved his string of horses to Peoria to track them for the race meetings.

SHED RIVERS OF TEARS.

During Ammonia Pipe Sets. Multitude to Weep.

A dozen funerals could not have produced the weeping that there was on Harrison avenue the other evening, and yet there were no deaths that have been reported. The cause of the tears was the ammonia that was rampant on the street, says the Springfield Republican. The Kibbe Brothers company has just bought a new refrigerating machine for cooling their chocolate. The workmen had just finished putting it in and had started it for a trial, when a pipe burst and the ammonia vapor, which is used for producing the cold, escaped rapidly into the basement, causing a general stampede. Nothing could stand before the stinging vapor, and it soon had the basement all to itself. But that was not enough; it spread upward throughout the building, but, as it was six o'clock anyhow, and the employees were just coming out, it did no harm there. But it also spread out into the street, and filled it full as far as Dwight street, and the passers-by had to hold their handkerchiefs in their faces. A considerable crowd gathered as near as they dared to watch the efforts of one of the workmen to get his coat and vest, which he had left in the basement in his hurried escape. It was impossible to go into the place again, and he got a long pole and angled through an open window for his garments. It was hazardous fishing, however, and the ammonia soon drove him away baffled, and he went to his supper in his working jacket. Nothing could be done but let the ammonia waste its sweetness till it was spent, and the aroma was powerful all night.

BONHEUR'S LATEST PICTURE.

Portrayal of Historical Duel Fought by Two Famous Heroes.

At Leferve's gallery, in King street, St. James, London, is the last effort of that astonishing genius, Mlle. Rosa Bonheur, in a large picture called "The Duel," an historical incident of 1734, representing a combat between two famous heroes, the Godolphin Arabian and Hobgoblin, the property of Lord Godolphin. The two thoroughbred animals are engaged in fierce fight with teeth and heels, and it is needless to say that such a subject severely taxes the best powers of an animal painter. The famous author of "The Horse Fair" has not failed, and now, at a time of life when she has passed the allotted space of man upon earth, she has produced a work which, in design, drawing, and execution, she has never excelled in her prime. The care and horse painting will be more than delighted with this really extraordinary production, which surpasses the pictures of most of the greatest masters and is exceeded by none. In an upper gallery at Leferve's, also, is a portrait of Mlle. Bonheur by Marchioness de Grass, or, as she signs herself, Consuela Fould. The great animal painter is pictured standing, in three-quarter length, wearing a black velvet blouse, palette and brushes in one hand, and the other on the head of her noble horse, Luron. As those of us who have seen Mlle. Bonheur know, she is a type of dignified, handsome old age; and in this eminently successful presentation we see her as she really is—bright eyes, comely and singularly intelligent looking.

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A Chatsworth man tried to beat the old time shell game at the circus and mourns the loss of \$55 in consequence.

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ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE.

Estate of H. W. Davis, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of H. W. Davis, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, Illinois, at the courthouse in Decatur, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are entitled and invited to present the same and have the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of June, 1896.

MRS. MARY H. A. DAVIS, Administrator.

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A WOMAN UNDERTAKER.

A Flat County Girl Who Is Skillful at the Work.

A correspondent of the Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "Although the spirit of evolution pervades the atmosphere of woman just at present, there are instances now and then where force of circumstances has something to do with her conspicuous position in the commercial world. An example of this kind may be cited in the case of Miss Anna Flenner, a charming young lady whose home is at Atwood, Ill., where she is widely known and respected for her many admirable womanly qualities, as for her good business methods and practical common sense. A few years ago Miss Flenner left the high school, taught a country school for a time for means with which to continue her education at Oxford Seminary for two or three years, and then prepared to settle down to school teaching as her life's work. About this time her only brother, a few years younger than herself, decided to begin a business career, but was so unprepared and indifferent that it was thought best for his sister Anna to be associated with him. Accordingly they opened a store for the sale of furniture and undertaking goods, and Mr. Flenner became a practical embalmer and undertaker. It was very evident from the start that Miss Anna must carry the burden of the responsibility, and as time wore on she assumed more and more control of the business, doing all the purchasing of goods and personally directing all funerals which came under their charge. She is called to take care of the dead, and with the delicacy and skill of a true woman, she prepares the old and the young for their last resting place in a manner which is gratifying and comforting to the sorrowing friends.

Her first experience in this part of the work was one which was fraught with much anxiety and nervous dread, but her quick wit and aptitude for the work have made her very expert. She is quiet, modest, refined young lady, who has simply by force of circumstances made herself a place in the business world, and is looked upon by her friends and associates as a thoroughly successful woman. No thought or talk of the new woman question has ever been heard in her household. She is only doing the work that comes to hand, and making the best of her opportunities. Would that there were many more like her—the pride and hope of their families."

Diagnosis of Grippe.

True grippe is a germ disease. These germs are in the circulation and pervade every tissue and organ of the body. This brings speedy collapse and often death to the aged and debilitated. The only germicide known that searches out and destroys every grippe germ in the system is Brazilian Balm. A week or ten days' treatment effects a complete cure.

For sale by Armstrong Bros., Druggists.

Enden is to have a lodge of the Knights of Pythias, the requisite number of petitioners having been obtained.

Care for Headache.

As a remedy for all forms of Headache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure, and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle, and give this remedy a fair trial. In case of habitual constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicina. Try it once. 50c and \$1.00 at West's druggists.

Ed Hickman, of Mt. Pulaski, sold a calf thirty days old that weighed 30 pounds.

Stenographer and Typewriter. Call at room 11, court house, for work in this line. Satisfaction guaranteed.

FORAKER'S SPEECH.
Ringling Words for McKinley Interrupted by the Shouts of the Multitude.

The nomination of McKinley for president came so late in the day that it was not possible to publish Foraker's speech naming McKinley for president in the report of yesterday and it is published to day for the reason that many will want to know what he said in presenting the name of the great commander, William McKinley, for president. He spoke as follows:

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Convention: It would be exceedingly difficult, if not entirely impossible, to exaggerate the disagreeable experiences of the last four years. The grand aggregate of an trifarious bad results of the Democratic national administration may be summed up as one stupendous disaster; it has been a disaster, however, not without at least one redeeming feature, it has been fair—nobody has escaped it. (Laughter.) It has fallen equally alike upon all sections of the country, and all classes of our people. Illness and the consequent poverty and distress have been the rewards of labor; distress and bankruptcy have overtaken business, shrunken values have dissipated fortunes, deficient revenues have impoverished the government, brought about bond issues, bond syndicates, discouraged a scandalized nation.

Over against this fearful penalty is, however, to be set down one great compensatory result, it has destroyed the Democratic party. (Great applause.) The proud columns which swept the country in triumph in 1892 are broken and horseless in 1896. Their boasted principles, when they came to the test of practical application, prove nothing but fallacies and their great leaders have degenerated into warring chieftains of petty and irreconcilable factions.

Their boasted principles, when put to the test of proper application, have proven delusive fallacies. Their approaching national convention is but an approaching nightmare. No man pretends to be able to predict any good result to come from it, and no man is seeking the nomination of that convention except such as are willing to accept any kind of a public-trust by proclaiming their willingness to stand upon any platform that may be adopted.

The truth is, the party that could stand up under the odium of human slavery, opposition to the war for enfranchisement, reconstruction and specie resumption, at last finds itself overmatched and undone by itself. It is writhing in the throes of dissolution, superinduced by a dose of its own medicine. No human agency can prevent its absolute overthrow at the next election, except only this convention. If we make no mistakes the Democratic party will go out of power on the 4th of March to remain until God in his wisdom and mercy and goodness shall fit once more to chastise his people. (Applause.)

No Mistakes.

"So far we have not made any mistake. We have adopted a platform which, notwithstanding the scenes witnessed in this hall this morning, meets the demands and expectations of the American people. It remains for us now at last to crown our work here, to complete our work by nominating a good candidate.

"The people want a good Republican, they want something more than a wise patriotic statesman; they want a man who embodies in himself not only all those essential qualifications, but who in addition, in the highest possible degree, has typified in his character, record, ambition, and purpose the exact opposite of all that is signified and represented by the free trade, desert-making, bond-issuing, labor-saving Democratic administration. (Cheers.)

"I stand here to present to this convention such a man. His name is William McKinley.

Foraker got no farther than the name of the Ohio statesman. Even before the last syllable had passed his lips, with one great swell, the delegates and occupants of the galleries sprang to their feet, and let out a yell that would have driven out of the pastures the far famed bull of Bashan. The

Convention Simply Went Wild.

Delegates in every part of the hall were standing on the seats waving red, white and blue plumes, flags and umbrellas.

The blowing of horns added to the din.

Maine, Massachusetts, New York, and Pennsylvania remained seated with few exceptions.

A large crayon portrait of McKinley was raised back of the delegates.

The noise was deafening.

The band played, "Marching Through Georgia," the convention taking up the song. The singing continued for some time, Mark Hanna relaxing enough to beat time. The band

played "The Battle Cry of Freedom," the convention singing the words.

Then the music shifted to "America," then to "Star Spangled Banner," starting the enthusiasm anew.

At the end of fifteen minutes the chairman rapped for order in vain.

The band played "Hail Columbia," and shifted to "Red, White and Blue," in which the convention joined in singing.

Then came "Dixie," the southern delegates cheering tremendously.

The demonstration lasted twenty-six minutes before it exhausted itself sufficiently for Foraker to resume, which he did as follows:

"Gentlemen of the Convention: You seem to have heard of the name of my candidate before. (Laughter and cheering.) He is known the world over.

His testimonial are private life, without reproach; four years of heroic service as a boy soldier on the battlefields of the republic under such gallant generals as Phil H. Sheridan. (Applause.)

Twelve years of conspicuous service in the halls of congress associated with the great leaders of the Republicans.

(Applause); four years of executive service as governor of Ohio; but greatest of all, reassured by present requirements, leader of the house of representatives and former of the 'McKinley law' (Tremendous applause). A lawyer under which labor has had a richer reward and the country has greatly increased in prosperity. No other name so completely meets the requirements

of the American people, no other man so absolutely commands their hearts and affections. The shafts of envy, malice and dereliction are broken harmless at his feet. They have been shot and shot in vain and the quiver is empty, and also because the people have known him, trust him, and love him no effort to disparage him can succeed. They know he is patriotic, they know he is wise, that he is able and true and they want him for president of the United States. They have already so declared, not in this state or section, but in all states, all sections of our country from ocean to ocean, and the gulf to the lakes. They expect us to give them a chance to vote for him. It is our duty to do it. If we discharge that duty we will give joy to their hearts, enthusiasm to the campaign and triumphant victory for our cause, and he in turn will give us an administration under which the country will enter upon a new era of prosperity at home and glory and honor abroad.

"By all these tokens of the present, all these promises for the future in the name of the forty-six delegates of Ohio, I submit his claims to your consideration." (Loud cheering.)

Another outburst of applause greeted the closing words of the eloquent Ohioan.

NATIONAL COMMITTEE.

Men Who Will Bear the Helm During the Campaign.

By Associated Press.

St. Louis, June 18.—The new national committee is made up as follows:

Alabama—William Youngblood.

Arkansas—Powell Clayton.

California—J. D. Speckels.

Colorado—Absent.

Connecticut—Samuel Fessenden.

Delaware—James H. Wilson.

Florida—John C. Long.

Georgia—Judson W. Lyons.

Idaho—Absent.

Illinois—T. N. Jamieson.

Indiana—William T. Durbin.

Iowa—D. B. Cummings.

Kansas—Cyrus Leland, Jr.

Kentucky—John W. Yerkes.

Louisiana—A. T. Wimberly.

Maine—J. H. Manley.

Maryland—George L. Wellington.

Massachusetts—George H. Lyman.

Michigan—George J. Wallis.

Minnesota—L. F. Hubbard.

Mississippi—James Hill.

Missouri—R. C. Kerens.

Montana—Charles R. Leonard.

Nevada—No answer.

Nebraska—John M. Thurston.

New Jersey—Garret A. Hobart.

New Hampshire—E. C. Cherry.

New York—Fred Gibbs.

North Carolina—James E. Boyd.

North Dakota—W. H. Robinson.

Ohio—Charles L. Kurtz.

Oregon—Pussed.

Pennsylvania—M. S. Quay.

Rhode Island—Charles R. Brayton.

South Carolina—Eugene A. Webster.

South Dakota—No announcement.

Tennessee—John Grant.

Utah—No announcement.

Vermont—R. T. Childs.

Virginia—George E. Bowden.

Washington—P. C. Sullivan.

West Virginia—F. W. Scott.

Wisconsin—Henry C. Payne.

Wyoming—Willis Van Deventer.

New Mexico—Thomas B. Calvin.

Arizona—No announcement.

Oklahoma—Henry E. Asp.

Indian Territory—George E. Bennett.

District of Columbia—Not selected.

Alaska—Not selected.

VOTE IN DETAIL.

On the Adoption of the Gold Plank in the Platform.

By Associated Press.

St. Louis, June 18.—Following is the detailed vote on the adoption of the gold plank of the platform:

State. Yea. Nay.

Alabama 19 15

Arkansas 15 1

California 4 14

Colorado 8

Connecticut 12

Delaware 6

Florida 7 1

Georgia 25

Idaho 46

Illinois 30

Iowa 26

Kansas 15

Kentucky 26

Louisiana 16

Maine 16

Maryland 16

Massachusetts 30

Michigan 25

Minnesota 16

Mississippi 18

Missouri 33

Montana 13

Nebraska 6

Nevada 3

New Hampshire 8

New Jersey 20

New York 72

North Carolina 14

North Dakota 6

Ohio 46

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On Garments, whether it be a Shirt, Overall or Jacket, shows that it was made by the

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This being the season for Soft and Neglige Shirts we have turned out a superior line in all the grades:

Soft Shirts at 50c and 75c, in Cheviots and Madras Cloth. For \$1.00 and \$1.25 in Silk Stripe; beautiful goods, and at the price should tempt any one who wants first-class goods.

Our Neglige line at 35c up to \$1.00 are better made, and the customer says cheaper than found elsewhere.

Boys' Blue Bib Overalls, 3 years to 12, 25c.

When you buy the Race Shirts, Overalls and the goods we manufacture you protect a home industry that is a benefit to Decatur. A word to the wise is sufficient.

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wasn't playing such an important part in life as the tailor whose reputation depends upon taking your measure perfectly and fitting your clothing perfectly to that measure. This is what Ehrmans do in such an exact manner that your clothing fits like a new skin, with only variations to make it accord with the very latest style. To keep in the swim you must keep in with Ehrmans. One of their suits is a passport into swell society.

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Leading Merchant Tailors.

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We have Collars, Cuffs
and White Fronts to
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New line SHIRT WAISTS in
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GARRET A. HOBART

Nominated for Vice President on the First Ballot.

St. Louis, June 19.—After the nomination for president had been made yesterday and the result announced the convention proceeded at once to the nomination of candidate for vice president.

Lodge moved that speeches be limited to five minutes.

Samuel Fessenden of Connecticut was recognized and nominated Bulkeley.

General Hobart was named by Franklin Fort of Newark, N. J. He spoke as follows:

Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Convention:

I rise to present to this convention the claims of New Jersey to the vice-presidency.

We come because we feel that we can for the first time in our history bring to you a promise that our electoral vote will be cast for your nominees. If you comply with our request this promise will surely be re-

ceived. For forty years through the blackness of darkness of a universal triumphal Democracy, the Republicans of New Jersey have maintained their organization and fought as valiantly as if the outcome were to be assured victory. Only twice through this long period has the sun shone in upon us. Yet, through all these weary years we have like Goldsmith's "Captive," felt that

"Hope, like the gleaming taper light
Adorns and cheers our way;
And still, as darker grows the night,
Emits a brighter ray."

The fulfillment of this hope came in 1894. In that year, for the first time since the Republican party came into existence, we sent to congress a solid delegation of eight Republicans, and elected a Republican to the United States Senate. We followed this in 1895 by electing a Republican governor by a majority of 28,000. And in this year of grace we expect to give the Republican electors a majority of not less than 20,000.

I come to you then today in behalf of new New Jersey, a politically redeemed and regenerated state. Old things have passed away, and behold all things have become new.

It is many long years since New Jersey has received recognition by a national convention.

When Henry Clay stood for protection in 1844 New Jersey furnished Theodore Frelinghuysen as his associate. The issue then was the restoration of the tariff and was more nearly like that of today than at any other period which I can recall in the nation's political history. In 1860 when the freedom of man brought the Republican party into existence and the great "Pathfinder" was called to lead, New Jersey furnished for that unequal contest William L. Dayton as the vice-presidential candidate. Since then counting for nothing, we have asked for nothing. During this period Maine has had a candidate for president and a vice-president; Massachusetts a vice-president; New York four vice-presidents, one of whom became president for almost a full term; Indiana a president, a candidate for president and a vice-president; Illinois a president twice and a vice-president; Ohio two presidents and now a candidate for the third time; Tennessee a vice-president, who became president for almost a full term.

New Jersey's Reasons.

We believe that the vice-presidency in 1896 should be given to New Jersey.

We have reasons for our opinion. We have ten electoral votes. We have carried in the state elections of 1893, 1894 and 1895. We hope and believe we can keep the state in the Republican column for all time. By your action today you can greatly aid us. Do you believe you could place the vice-presidency in a state more justly entitled to recognition, or one which it would be of more public advantage to hold in the Republican ranks?

If the party in any state is deserving

of approval for the sacrifice of its members to maintain its organization then the Republicans of New Jersey, in this, the hour of their ascendancy, after long years of bitter defeat, feel that they cannot come to this convention in vain.

We appeal to our brethren in the South who know with us what it is to be overridden by fraud at the ballot box; to be counted out by corrupt election officers; to be dominated by an arrogant, unrelenting Democracy.

We should have carried our state at every election for the past ten years if the count had been an honest one.

We succeeded in throttling the ballot box stuffers and imprisoning the corrupt election officers only to have the whole raft of them pardoned in a day to work again their nefarious practices upon an honest people. But today under ballot reform laws with an honest count we know we can win. It has been a long, terrible strife to the goal, but we have reached it unaided and unassisted from without and we come today promising to the ticket here selected, the vote of New Jersey, whether you give us the vice-presidential candidate or not. We make it no test of our Republicanism that we have a candidate. We have been too long used to fighting for principle for that; but we do say that you can by granting our request lighten our burden and make us a confident party with victory in sight, even before the contest begins.

Will we carry Colorado, Montana and Nevada this year if the Democracy de-clares for silver at 16 to 1? Let us hope we may. New Jersey has as many electoral votes as those three states together.

Will you not make New Jersey sure

to take their place in case of need?

We have in all these long years of Republicanism been the "jane star" Democratic state of the North. Our forty years of wandering in the wilderness of Democracy are ended. Our Egyptian darkness disappears. We are on the hill top looking into the promised land. Encourage us as we march over into the political Canaan of Republicanism, there to remain, by giving us a leader on the national ticket to go with us.

Proud of Their Men.

We are proud of our public men. Their Republicanism and love of country has been welded in the furnace of political adversity. That man is a Republican who adheres to the party in a state where there is no hope for the gratification of personal ambitions. There are no camp followers in the minority party of any state. They are all true soldiers in the militant army doing valiant service without reward, gain, or the hope thereof, from principle only.

A true representative of this class of

Republicans New Jersey will offer you

today. He is in the prime of life, a

never faltering friend, with qualities

of leadership unsurpassed, of sterling

honor, of broad mind, of liberal views,

of wide public information, of great

pietism and of great personal integrity.

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ADDITIONAL PERSONALIA.

Miss Marie Sparks has gone to Dwight, Ill.

Mrs. Charles Gouger is ill at her home on Van Dyke street.

The two children of Mrs. Thomas E. Coobran, living at 136 East Eldorado street, are ill of the croup.

Mrs. Rev. James Miller and daughter, Mrs. Hattie Butterworth, of Bloomington, were in the city today on a brief visit. They will return home this evening.

DISTRICT TRIBUNE KICKS.

Detroit, June 19.—The Tribune, the leading Republican paper of Michigan for many years, declines to accept the gold plank of the national platform.

This year Bloomington will have a monster July 4th celebration. The speakers are to be John R. Tanner and Judge Shape. Athletic sports in the afternoon.

HELLO GIRL'S DISCOVERY.

She listened to the Vibrant Tenor Voice at the 'Phone.

In the Detroit Electrical works there is a night watchman who possesses an exceptionally fine tenor voice, and when he has nothing else to do he sings to keep himself awake, says the Detroit Tribune.

Up in the big telephone exchange a dozen girls are told off for night duty. They are, like the tenor fond of the songs of the day, but unlike them they are not allowed to sing, and they grow lonely after the calls begin to be few and far between and the murmur of the street traffic below has ceased.

Some months ago, it is related, one of the girls who had answered a call from the electrical works, overheard the watchman singing his favorite song. She listened as long as she could without arousing the ire of the unmelodic individual at the other end of the line, and then confided her discovery to the rest of the girls. There was a short but eager council of war, and the girl who made the discovery was deputed to call up the harmonious watchman and ask him for a song. The watchman, who must be quite a phenomenon in that he is a tenor and also "an extremely bashful young man," required a little coaxing, but eventually complied with the request. All the other girls "cut in" on the line, and the watchman was encouraged so often that his throat was sore when the concert was finished.

But this unique tenor is as fastidious as he is shy. It is said that there was only one girl at the "central" who could induce him to sing, and she is the maiden who made the original long-distance concert discovery. When the other girls begin to grow tired at night, she calls up the electrical works, and the watchman sings for her, unconscious of the fact that all the girls have "cut in" on the line, and that he is singing to the entire night force of the exchange. The others hint that there is a romance in it, but that is a matter which concerns only the young watchman and the girl at the "central."

O. R. PLAYING CARDS.

...on which the suits originated in Arrow-Shaped Characters.

"I have it," exclaimed an enthusiastic whistplayer, who was engaged in a rubber at a Madison Avenue whist club, relates the New York Herald.

"No you haven't," answered his partner.

"I was trumped."

"I don't mean the trick," replied the first: "I refer to the origin of the characters on the cards. They have always puzzled me. I have studied the matter, read all that has been written on the subject and have never until this moment been satisfied as to how the cards came to bear the shapes we call hearts, diamonds, clubs and spades. Just now, as these spots representing the four suits lay there together, the significance of their forms flashed on me."

"Well what is it?" asked his partner.

"Sheep are an," answered the other.

"Look at those four suits and see how much alike they are in form. Can't you see they are all arrows? Cuneiform, and no mistake. They quite evidently originated with the old Assyrian inscriptions. I have no doubt that these figures originally represented arrowheads. When the Germans adopted the heart, bell, leaf and acorn on their cards they preserved the ancient form. Here are four varying shapes of the arrowhead, likely coming from four different and opposing tribes. Hence conflict between the suits as we play the game to-day."

FROM THE ORIENT.

Homely Bridegroom Hires Another to Stand in His Place.

A queer Arabian Nights' tale comes from the Punjab. A few weeks ago a party of weavers formed a marriage procession and started for a village in Ferozepore. The bridegroom was bald and blind of one eye, and his father feared the bride's parents would refuse him, so the weaver advised them to present a barber's boy who was with them as the groom. The barber was dressed in the groom's wedding garments and was accepted. When the marriage was over and they had returned home the weaver demanded his bride, but the barber refused to give her up, and now they have gone to law to settle the question.

ENGLISH POTWALLOPERS.

A Picturesque Survival of One of the Oldest Franchises.

Says the London Globe: "The last of the 'potwallopers' is dead. His name was Richard Atkinson, his age 97, and the scene of his potwalloping glories the ancient borough of Pontefract. The 'potwalloper' was a man who acquired the franchise by the extraordinary process of having boiled his own pot in the constituency for six months before the election. As an electoral class they were, as was natural, sublimely corrupt, and were deservedly punished in 1832. They were, however, a picturesque survival of, probably, the oldest franchise, next to that of the '40-shilling freeholder.'

TESTING FIRE ESCAPES.

This afternoon the fire commissioners and Chief Daveno were testing some more fire escapes and stand pipes. They are nearly through the task of making tests.

BIRTHS.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. A. Berbis, living in the south part of the city on June 17, a daughter.



Tam O'Shanter's ride through the midnight wind with the horrible hobgoblins pursuing him was only a bad dream, or nightmare, which anybody is liable to experience as the result of overeating or an attack of biliousness or indigestion. To avoid such disagreeable experiences one or two of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets should be taken after a too hearty meal and the action of the pellets will thereby be quickened and the meal promptly digested.

Then too if Nature be assisted a little now and then in removing offending matter from the stomach and bowels you will thereby avoid a multitude of distressing derangements and diseases, and will have less frequent need for your doctors' services.

Of all known agents for this purpose, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the best. Their secondary effect is to keep the bowels open and regular, not to further constipate, as is the case with other pills. Hence, their great popularity with sufferers from habitual constipation, piles and their attendant discomfort and malady.

THE PELLETS CURE.

State of A. E. Farnsworth, Decatur.

The undersigned having been appointed executors of the estate of A. E. Farnsworth, late of the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice that we will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, on the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against the estate will be called and may file their claims against the estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated the 10th day of June, 1896.

C. A. FARNWORTH, Executor.

WABASH EXCURSIONS.

The Wabash Railroad will sell excursion tickets at greatly reduced rates to the following meetings:

Put-in-Bay, account opening Hotel Victory, \$2 for round trip including two days' board at hotel. Tickets sold June 19th, good returning till June 22d.

Wabash, for round trip to San Francisco via Wabash on June 15th, 16th, 23d and 24th. Tickets good 90 days, with stop-over privileges.

On the first Tuesday of every month one way tickets to principal points in the South at one cent per mile.

BARGAIN COLUMN.

Advertisements Forty words or less may be inserted in this column at the rate of 2 cents per week, payable invariably in advance.

For Sale. For Rent. Wanted, Etc.

WANTED.

WANTED—A girl to do general housework in small family. Good wages paid. Apply at 32 West North street. May 23-dft

WANTED—A cook cook at once. Apply to W. M. L. RACE, No. 428 West Williamson, Ia. 26

WANTED—Paper Hanging. With 25 years' experience I am prepared to give prompt attention to all orders for Painting and Paper Hanging from all parts of the city. Prices reasonable and all work guaranteed. New telephone No. 36. J. D. SMITH. April 15-dft

WANTED—A good cook, at once—woman preferred. Call at J. M. Huff's Restaurant on South Water street. May 14-dft

WANTED—A good cook immediately. Apply to MRS. L. L. RACE, 428 West Williamson, Ia. 15-dft

WANTED—\$1500 or \$1,000—first-class real estate security. Liberal commission. Address J. J. Clark, Republican. 17-dft

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Grey driving horse, gentle and in good condition. Must be sold this week. Apply to 243 North Main st. 15-dft

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Farms of 10 to 400 acres in Central and Southern Illinois; 80 to 90 acres in Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas, city property and stocks of goods. Money to Loan. S. A. D. GRAY. Attorney at Law, 219 North Water street. May 26-dft

DRUG AND BOOK STORE FOR SALE—The Elchingher stock of Drugs and Books, including a year lease. S. S. JACK, Apothecary. J. W. ELCHINGER. 15-dft

FOR SALE—Eight hundred dollars buys three older cast iron building lots, 40x182 each, up North Church street. One-half cash, balance easy. You can make 50 per cent on these lots by holding until Spring. Come and let me show them. Peter H. Brueck, Real Estate Broker, 215 North Main. Nov 15-dft

FOR SALE—Nice lot, 40x182 on North Union street, front, east \$275 buys it, owner wants \$300. This lot will be worth \$500 to \$600 in a few years. Call at 215 North Main street. Peter H. Brueck, Real Estate Broker, 215 North Main street. Nov 15-dft

FOR SALE—Good residence property on south Union street, first floor of one house, back. Seven rooms on lot, 8x24, two room apartment, kitchen, dining room and cellar under entire house. First class Palace King furnace goes with house. Fifty-foot lot, with driveway extra. Only one and a half story house. On paved street and street cars pass door. W. P. Shadetree, 215 North Main street. Nov 15-dft

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FOR SALE—Horses on Easy Payments.

We have some good work horses which we can sell on the installment plan, or long time. Also two good milch cows very cheap. Apply at Jimmick's Sale stable at west end of Main street.

April 23-dft

FOR SALE—Ten well improved Illinois farms, from \$1,000 to \$12,000 each, Indiana farm, 40 acres, \$600; Indiana farm, 60 acres, \$1,000; Indiana farm, 100 acres, \$1,500; Jackson counties, Ark.; well timbered, productive soil, near town and railroad; price, \$50 per acre. Address J. F. HYATT, Coal City, Ind. June 15-dft

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN—Farm loans and City loans. Lowest rates and most favorable terms. C. E. GIVEN, 605 Millikin Bank Building. May 7-d&wt

LOANS.

ALL KINDS. FISK BROS. Over Farmers' Bank. June 15-dft

MONEY TO LOAN—On real estate, farm and city property, live stock, household goods or good personal security. Houses rented, rents and accounts collected. J. W. Redman, 129 S. Water street, Decatur, Ill. April 15-dft

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PRESENTATION GOODS

Sterling Silver.

Made by the Gorham Mfg Co.

New Articles Just Received.

Individual Oyster, Berry, and Salad Forks.
Cream Ladles, Sugar Spoons, Butter
Knives, Bon Bons.

Salad Spoons and Forks, Berry Spoons,
Preserve Spoons, Jelly Spoons.
Sardine, Cold Meat and Beef Forks, Let-
tuce Forks.

Sterling Silver Salts and Peppers.

The Prices on These Goods
Suit the Times.

Otto E. Curtis & Bro.,
Jewelers,

156 East Main St.---113 North Water St.

New
Spring
Goods.

E. H. COLE SHOE CO.,

148 East Main Street.

CRASH! BANG!

Went the glass in our new show windows while the workmen were setting them. We can make no show in our windows till other glass arrives, but we will cut the price inside our store to make our trade bigger than ever.

WAISTS....

Too many—must be sold.

Nice Laundered Porcale Waists at 45c.

Best Quality Striped Porcale Waists at 75c.

New Persian Pattern Porcale Waists, separate

costars, at 90c, worth \$1.00.

Best Calico Wrappers at 95c.

First Chalie Wrappers at 95c.

Separate Shirts at \$2.45, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$5.00.

Duck Linen Skirts at \$1.00.

THIN DRESS GOODS.

Challis, light or dark colors, cut to 45c.

Best 16c Dainty Dress Goods cut to 45c.

Dotted Linen Effects in Dress Goods, cut to 12 1/2c.

40-inch Nun's Veiling all-wool Dress Goods cut to 45c, worth 75c.

SHOES....

Oxford Tie Sale.

About 100 pairs of assorted kinds Oxford Tie Shoes to be closed out at 95c a pair.

Trade at Our Store This Week and Save Money.

Chas. T. Johnston
DECATUR, ILL.
151 NORTH WATER STREET.

10c A QUART

bottle for a first-class
disinfectant; can be used
any place about the house,
where a disinfectant is
needed. Usual price 25c.

KING & METZ,
...Druggists...

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MODERN WOODMEN—Regular meeting of
Eastern Camp, No. 1226, M. W. C.,
(Friday) at 8 P.M., in the Hotel in the
K. of L. hall, Open House block. The band will
be there and a full attendance is desired.

FRANK SANFORD, V. G. O. W. SMITH, Clerk.

LOCAL NEWS.

Recreation comes next.

Use Irwin's Poultry Powder.

You pay a little more for Sleeth's por-
traits but—

Johnny Wolgang still makes the Leda
10 cent cigar. mch25-dif

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.
For loss of appetite take Irwin's iron
tonic bitters, a positive cure.

Telephone Rock Plaster Co. for
Lime, Cement and Rock Plaster.

Prescriptions carefully compounded day
or night at Open House drug store.

Rubber tires for surreys and buggies.
George S. Durfee & Bro., 155 South Water
street—11-dif

Cheap excursion to Chicago by way of
the Wabash. Saturday, June 20, \$2 round
trip.

Ratification.

Decatur will probably ratify tomorrow
night. There is talk to that effect.

THE NEWS IN DECATUR.

Republicans Highly Pleased and Enthusiastic Over the Ticket.

There was great political joy in Decatur among the Republicans over the nomination of McKinley and Hobart. The news came to the Republican promptly and was quickly posted on the windows, so that the crowd assembled could read the glad announcement for themselves.

Smiles of satisfaction were seen, and shouts for McKinley were heard, extending out of the office and up and down the street, as in the window was placed a big portrait of the nominee, a portrait also being placed on the flags placed at the office entrance. While the nomination of Major McKinley on the first ballot was confidently expected, the people waited around as if there could be any doubt as to the final result, waiting to see the figures, and then all were more than satisfied.

All felt a personal interest in the work of the convention. They knew that the platform was all right from top to bottom, and all they wanted was for the convention to promptly put McKinley on that platform and the convention did it in short order. And then came the news that Garret A. Hobart, of New Jersey, had been nominated on the first ballot for vice-president.

Plotters of Mr. Hobart were displayed by the Republican and everybody shouted "Hurrah for McKinley and Hobart" as they lingered about the office or went away to get late supper.

The main topic of conversation about the city last night and today has been the excellent choice of the convention, and the platform is given equal praise.

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FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Prices on the Different Varieties Which
Will be on Sale in the City To-Morrow.

Fruits are now quite plentiful in variety
and are cheap in price. Strawberries and raspberries will sell tomorrow at 12 1/2 cents per box, and blackberries at 10 cents per box. Plums can be bought at 5 cents per box. Pineapples are 15 cents each, oranges 20 cents per dozen and lemons 15 cents per dozen.

Watermelons will sell at about 25 cents each. There will be some green corn in the market tomorrow and it will bring 30 cents per box. Tomatoes sell for 30 cents per dozen, wax beans at 30 cents per box and peas at 35 cents per peck. Cabbages are 5 and 10 cents per head, cucumbers two for 5 cents and home grown vegetables such as onions, asparagus, beans, radishes, pie plant and lettuce 5 cents per bunch.

Spring chickens will be in market to-

morrow and will sell from 30 to 45 cents each according to the size and supply.

Old chickens sell for 12 1/2 cents per pound dressed weight. Eggs are 10 cents per dozen.

Camping Party.

Tomorrow afternoon a party of young

people will leave for a week's outing in

the woods. They will camp on the banks

of the Sangamon four miles east of the

city near Spangler's bridge. Miss Bertha

Gray will act as chaplain. The party

will be composed of the following: Misses

Estelle Williams, Mary Tollock, Ruth

Dee, Gertrude Dillehunt, Josephine

Wright, Grace Hubbard, Gertrude Phil-

lips, Grace Shimer and Stella Falcon and

Aubur Bruntlinger, Will and James Gray,

James Spence, Charles Steele, John Wag-

ney, Will Starr, Jesse Crane and Grover

Haines.

A Hypnotist Show.

Joseph Hartley is giving hypnotist en-

tertainments at Macon. Last night he

had a crowded house and he will give

shows tonight and tomorrow night. Joe

has become quite an expert in hypnotism

and his entertainments have been quite

successful. Bert Webb travels with him

as a subject. Tonight George Barney

will go to Macon to assist Hartley and

the mandolin club will also be present to

furnish music. Hartley expects to give

entertainments in Taylorville next week.

Sermon on the Convention.

Rev. A. W. Hawkins, pastor of the

Cumberland church, will speak on Sun-

day morning at 10:45 o'clock at the W.

C. T. U., on the subject "Lessons from

the St. Louis convention and its Napol-

ean." At 7:45 o'clock in the evening he

will speak on "Reflections from the Un-
likely Death of Edgar Biehleimer and

Bert Phillips."

Parents are especially invited to the evening service.

Died.

At 6 p. m. Thursday, June 18, at the

family residence, No. 1469 North Clinton

street, the infant child of K. J. Hickey.

The funeral will be held at 4 o'clock

Saturday afternoon from St. Patrick's

Catholic church and the burial will be at

the Catholic cemetery.

Will Entertain This Evening.

At the home of her father, F. M. Pratt,

on Prairie avenue, this evening Miss

Henrietta Pratt will entertain a number

of young people. The party will be given

in honor of Miss Ida Pratt, of Chicago,

and Miss Julia Pratt, of Litchfield, Conn.

Funeral of Mrs. Hodge.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Anderson

Hodge was held at 10:30 o'clock this

morning from the church at Prairie Hall.

The services were conducted by Rev.

Griffith, of Argenta, and the burial was at

Mt. Zion.

Will Open a News Stand.

At Sojournville is preparing to open a

news stand at 111 East William street,

in the Chanoweth building. The room has

been fitted up and Mr. Somerville expects

to have his store open by next Monday.

PERSONAL MENTION.

G. W. Scovill is in Chicago on business.

Edward Powers went to Lincoln last night.

Mrs. John A. Reavis is confined to her home by illness.

Dr. C. M. Wood went to Chicago last night on business.

Miss Edith Guard, of Jacksonville, is in the city visiting friends.

Attorney J. M. Gray was at Prairie Hall today on legal business.

Samuel Ackerman is dangerously ill at his home, No. 1005 West Main street.

Mrs. John Perl, who has been ill at her home on West Wood street, was better today.

Mrs. James Butterworth, of Bloomington, is in the city visiting P. C. Black and family.

Mrs. F. F. Becker, of Henry, Ill., is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. E. H. Jeffreys.

Miss Nellie Veale, of Chicago, is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Veale.

Mrs. A. S. Morgan, who has been at Rockford, Ill., for the past month, has arrived home.

A. M. Rhoades, of Champaign, is in the city visiting his brother, Dr. Frank O. Rhoades.

Mrs. Frank Roby returned home yesterday from Chicago where she has been visiting friends.

W. H. Starr, M. F. Kanan, D. S. Sholabarger returned home last night from the convention.

Mrs. Henry Smith, of Chicago, is expected in the city to visit till after Sunday with Mrs. J. E. Saxon.

Misses Lida and Cora Martin have returned home from Ann Arbor where they have been attending college.

Mrs. Michael Cassell, who has been ill at her home at the corner of North and Jasper streets, is improving.

D. A. Mallie returned last night from